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### STATE SUNSHINE AND SHADOW.

A NEW Christian church is to be built at Tyrone, Anderson county.

The Lexington Kirmess for the benefit of an infirmity was a success.

It is reported that a Chicago syndicate will build a seven-story hotel on Cheap-side, in Lexington.

KENTUCKY produced 166,811,966 lbs. of tobacco in 1890, an increase of 2,040,385 pounds over 1889.

The Perry county murder cases pending in Clark Circuit court have been continued until next term.

HUME CLAY, the Clark county forger, has been made book-keeper in the broom factory at the penitentiary.

BURT THOMAS, an escaped convict who has been at large for nearly ten years, was recently captured in Owsley county.

At Harrodsburg the residence of David Vannardall was destroyed by fire last week. Loss, \$4,000; insurance, \$2,500.

NEAR Wilde, Rockcastle county, Geo. and Thos. Hays, cousins, quarreled over a bill of corn, and the latter was shot and killed.

GEORGETOWN is a license upon all insurance companies doing business in that town, and realizes about \$400 from that source.

TANGLETOWN is the name of a new post office in Mason county. It must be in the neighborhood of some of the famous distilleries of that section.

The Louisville Deposit bank has been refused admission to the clearing house, the claim in objection being that not 50 per cent. of the capital is paid in.

The City council of Mt. Sterling granted fifteen building permits at a recent meeting, and among them were permits to rebuild the lately burned district.

Nor being satisfied with being a social belle, Miss Mary Breckenridge, daughter of Congressman Breckenridge, has begun the study of law in her father's office at Frankfort.

LAST week at Knuckles P. O., Bell county, a row occurred over a stick of candy, in which Squire Saylor, John Saylor and Tom Lawson were badly stabbed and beat up.

ANDREW PHENIX, who struck Robt. Tibbs over the head with a club and from the effects of which he died, was caught in Louisville and taken back to Paris for trial.

ON the farm of Sam Taylor, near Masonville, a large dwelling, barn and smoke house, together with their contents, were totally destroyed by fire one night last week. No insurance.

The new editor of the Barbourville News, himself just from New England, says Eastern Kentucky will be visited during the next few months by a large number of New Englanders.

The residence of Mrs. Josiah Anderson, at Jeffersonville, this county, burned Sunday night with nearly all its contents. Insured for \$3,000. Losses not estimated, but heavy.—Sentinel-Democrat.

FROM the Big Sandy News we learn that the tax in Lawrence county for this year is 98¢ cents on each \$100 worth of land and personal property; 99¢ cents on town lots, and 97 1/2 cents on money, bonds, etc.

AT Spotsville last week a coal miner named Robert Veach met with a horrible death by falling down a coal shaft, a depth of seventy-five feet. "In the fall he was dismembered, and his skull was crushed so badly that his brains oozed out.

The amount expended on the locks and dams at Beattysville at the end of the fiscal year is \$1,163,677.34, with an unexpended balance including appropriations of September, 1891, \$185,276.99. Work is mapped out extensively for the next few months.

MUCH better than the much-talked-of sub-treasury plan is the following from the Henderson Journal: "W. W. Shelby is making preparations to inaugurate a new enterprise very much after the order of the Wheelers' proposed sub-treasury. He proposes to convert the lower one of his factory buildings on Main street into a grain warehouse where wheat, etc., will be received for storage, the owner receiving a warehouse receipt therefor upon which money will be advanced and which will be good collateral in bank or elsewhere."

### OVER THE WORLD IN A WEEK.

—A dispatch from Des Moines, Iowa, says: "At the coroner's investigation into the death of Protzman, the Christian scientist victim, it was developed that the attendants fed the patient, while delirious with typhoid fever, large quantities of sausage, raw turnips, sauerkraut, crab apples and pigs' feet.

—An attempt was made last week to wreck the Pacific express on the West Shore road, a short distance out of New York, by dynamite, but the explosion occurred before the train reached the spot, and there was no injury done.

—A small iron safe containing about \$12,000 worth of diamonds and other precious stones was dredged up from the bottom of the bay at San Francisco lately. The settings of the jewelry are of the sixteenth century style.

—A woman named Bridget Kaffon was found with her throat cut in a Jersey City tenement. Her husband, whose head was bleeding from a wound, said his wife had been murdered by a man named Kerrigan.

—Joseph H. Elwell, Republican candidate for County Attorney of Rock county, Nebraska, and a prominent politician, was arrested the other day at Newport, Neb., on the charge of making counterfeit money.

—The suit in the United States District court at Philadelphia against Geo. W. Patton & Co. to recover additional duties on imported wool was ended in a verdict in favor of the government of \$10,887.

—At Atlanta, Ga., Elias Underwood, Charles Osborne (white) and Geo. Washington (colored) were sentenced to be hanged for murder. Underwood on June 10; Osborne, June 26, and Washington, July 8.

—A resident of Carroll county, Georgia, recently killed a white cat snake which measured nine feet in length and seven inches in diameter. This is one of the largest snakes ever killed in the State.

—Tom Page, 12 years of age, struck his mother on the head with a garden hoe, killing her instantly, at Benton, Ark. Mrs. Page was attempting to chastise the boy.

—The Adams Electric company will sue all companies using alleged infringing patents. It is believed that the first to be sued is the Lindell street railway, of St. Louis.

—In the National printing office, St. Petersburg, Russia, documents can be printed in every known language. It is the most complete office of its kind in the world.

—An empty whisky bottle was found in the pocket of a man who deliberately knelt in front of a train at Columbus, Ind., and allowed the wheels to decapitate him.

—John Smith, a tramp, aged 55, is under arrest at Mayville, N. Y., for placing obstructions on a railroad track with the intention of wrecking a train.

—At Vicksburg, Miss., a jury of twelve white men has just given a verdict for \$2,000 damages to a negro for being ejected from a railroad train.

—A Georgia editor claims to have cleared \$7 on Memorial day by placing himself on exhibition as "the only living ex-Confederate private."

—A young woman was whipped by White Caps near Ducktown, Tenn., recently, and has since died. Her assailants are under arrest.

—It is said that a thousand barrels of maple syrup have been put on the market this spring by one Burlington (Vt.) firm.

—The petrified bodies of three women were found in a vault in Greenlawn cemetery, near Indianapolis, the other day.

—Sixteen soldiers are under arrest at Walla Walla, Wash., charged with complicity in a lynching here.

—A monument in honor of the Confederate dead will be unveiled at Jackson, Miss., June 3.

—Miss Laura Walker, aged 18, last week died of hemorrhage of the nose at Gosden, Ind.

—Herman Glascie shot Henry Wilson in a quarrel in a saloon at Elizabethport, N. J.

—A genuine case of sunstroke was reported in New York last week.

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## LUKE MASON.

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### CHAPTER II.

**BLACKBARK.**—A SOLDIER—THE SURPRISE.  
Luke Mason, as already told, had been rescued when an infant from the river and reared as the adopted son of Mr. Neff's brother, who was childless. The brothers had lived on adjoining farms until old Seth Neff's death, which occurred about two years before the time of which we write. Luke had grown up with Albert and Lillie, and his love for the latter began when they were children attending the same district school. Their affection had ripened, and this year would have witnessed their union but for the distressing state of the country.

When the lovers returned to the house they found the old farmer still sitting on the porch, bathed in the moonlight.  
"Well, Luke, 'is time yer gone to bed," he said, with a sigh. The old man still felt sad, from parting with his son, whom he knew he might never see again. "How long ar ye gwine to stay?"  
"I leave in the morning."

"Why 's soon?"  
"It's best."

The old man again gave utterance to a groan, and Luke leading Lillie to the door, bade her good-night and promised to see her early in the morning. Then he returned to Mr. Neff, and drawing a chair near to his side, said:

"Mr. Neff, I want those clews to my identity."

"What yer mean, Luke?"

"I mean the things which were found about me when I was taken, like Moses, from the water."

"That haint nuthin' left but the old wooden cradle up 'n the attic, which I guess ye've seen a hundred times, 'n the old yaller handkercher."

"Let me have the handkerchief, then; it will be some clew. I hope by it to discover my parentage. Any way, it shall be a precious relic, with which I will never part."

The old man rose and promised to see her boy to bring him a lighted candle. The sleepy drowsy soon complied, and, followed by Luke, the farmer went to his private room, where was an old-fashioned escritoire. He opened one of the drawers with an assurance that scouted at any doubt of the precious relic, and handed a look of uneasiness came over his face.

"It's gone," he said.

"Look well; it may have got in some other place," said Luke, eagerly.

He did so. He went from drawer after drawer, but at last, in despair, whispered:

"It's stolen."

"Who did it?"

The farmer could give no satisfactory answer. They searched every nook and it could be possible for the missing relic to be, but of no avail.

With an aching head and heart heavy with disappointment, Luke Mason retired to his bed that night; weary from travel he at last fell asleep, despite his anxiety. He seemed to have become unconscious, and his mind had begun to wander amid vague, misty dreams, when he was aroused by a loud noise of confused voices in which were mingled curses and the pleadings of Mr. Neff and his daughter.

"Shet up, old man; we haint agwine to hurt you or yer girl, but I want that ar' aberration 'n spite of h—'n hang that heavy voice. Luke, alarmed, sprang from his bed and ran to the window. The front yard was filled with armed men. Mr. Neff and Lillie both partially in night-clothes were in front of the door.

"Oh, you shall not hurt him," cried the brave girl. "He has not harmed you."

"But he's a aberration, gal, an' we'll hang 'im up. Haint ye a Southern gal?"

"I am—my brother was a Union man to join Price, but you shall not harm a hair of his head."

A loud shout of disapproval went up at this determined sentence. Cries of "Tar down the do!" "Burn the house!" and a hundred other exclamations drowned the brave girl's voice.

Luke was alarmed. The freedom with which he had declared his Union sentiments at the last stage station had ruined him. He now saw that the coming to this neighborhood, especially from a free soil State like Ohio. He was at a loss what to do, as he was wholly untrained and incapable of making any defense. There came rapid steps along the hall; the door was pulled open, and a voice whispered:

"Masse, Masse, Luke!"

"Blackhawk, is it you?" he asked.

"Yes, massa; de berry debi an to play. Seeesh come to hang yer. Come wid me, an' by golly, I'll show ye how to get away from 'em."

There was no time for hesitation, even for thought. He followed the negro into the hall, where Blackhawk thrust a horse pistol in his hand.

"Blow um ter de debil of um come," said the negro in a whisper.

"Where did you get this?"

"Nebber mind, massa—can't tell yer now, come on. If yer gwine ter help free ur wif an' little baby, I'll help ye."

He led him down the stairs and they were hastening out the rear way when a white-robed figure suddenly ran down the hall

and, throwing her arms about him, said: "Oh, Luke, Luke; go free for your life!" One kiss on her beautiful forehead, one whispered "good-bye," and he was out for ever.

"Thort ye'd never been in 't' service!" said one.

"I never was," he answered.

"Oh, shucks, yer no fool. Tell that, we know better. 'n a member of his mess called Ned Cotton. 'T'w' 'un who hain't seen service could yank a tent about that way."

Ned Cotton, Bill Suggs, Arkansas Tom, Luke and two more mounted the new tent, and spent most of the afternoon lying on the fresh, clean straw with which they had carpeted the earth.

The day wore slowly by; the routine of camp life had not yet become sufficiently old to be monotonous. Men were drilling by companies, platoons, squads, or even singly.

"Yer on far picket 'n'ight," said a corporal, coming to the door of the tent and laying his hand on Luke's shoulder. "Go on 'n' seven."

"How long do I stay on guard?" asked Luke.

"I had but lit'ore ar'nt to stay."

"Only two hours, then comes first relief," said Corporal Max, who had in the last few days imbibed a world of military knowledge. Corporal Max was a chronic gambler, but a very rigid disciplinarian so far as he knew.

At the appointed hour Luke and three others, under Corporal Max, shouldered their guns and went some three or four miles from the camp, where the road parted, and there sat down under a large tree. This was the extreme picket post, but a slender guard was left about the camp.

The picket amused themselves telling stories and commenting on the situation, while Luke sat a little apart from the others, his mind fixed on that dark, strange mystery of his life. What hand had launched that cradle upon the bosom of the flood which bore his infant form, and what was the purpose? Was his destruction sought because he was a living testimony of sin. Then, again, who had stolen the life from his hands, and sent him on purpose. But as these reflections were painful, he tried to cast them aside and listen to the chatter of his companions.

"I don't think 't' dose come 't' fight us," one of the guards, who was lying on the grass gazing up at the stars, boastfully remarked. "We'd lick 'em too quick."

"They're concentratin' at Lexington," said Corporal Max. "I don't see what sense there is in hangin' around here. Why not get a horse and clean 'em up? That's no danger 'n'ight 'less a stragin' gang runs in or as."

"They'll be sorry if they do," the booster asserted.

The relief came, and Luke, wearied in body and mind, was glad to return to lie down in his tent, for long rides and sleepless nights were beginning to tell on him.

While dragging his weary feet along the road to camp it seemed as if every step must be the last. Reaching his tent, worn out with anxiety and fatigue, he threw himself on a pile of straw and was soon in the land of dreams.

In the dimness of midnight his mind gradually drifted back to the pleasant day he had spent at the old farm-house in company with Lillie. That angry cloud which for a moment had veiled from him the bright brow seemed a blur upon their happiness, which was rapidly growing into a terrible storm-cloud, obstructing the light and gladness of the sun.

Lightning flashed from the dark cloud and peals of thunder, sharp and incessant, like the voice of God, rent the air.

He had stooped over her, when he felt himself being dragged somewhere by the heels.

"My God! What's the matter?" he cried, wide awake.

"They're fightin' 'n'ight!" roared Arkansas Tom in his ear.

Distant firing affirmed the assertion.

"Get up, they're fightin'!"

Some one thrust a gun in his hand and a voice whispered:

"Get down 't' fence."

He was about twenty rods to the fence where most of the men already were, and he ran there as fast as he could. Occasional shots were fired, and he thought he heard a bullet hurt through the air.

"Stiddy, boys, stiddy!" cried Captain Smart, who having seen service in Mexico was not unused to fire for the first time. "We'll lick 'em yet."

CHAPTER III.

A RETROGRADE MOVEMENT.

For a moment the blood seemed to forsake Luke's veins, and he lay prone on the ground. Awakened by shouts, the cries of fear and all the appalling sounds of carnage, confuses the veteran, and the wonder of it all did not produce a panic among these raw recruits.

Perhaps they were too much stupefied to become panic-stricken. They seemed to realize that their safety lay in getting behind the fence as soon as possible, as it afforded them a partial protection.

Those who were running found once the firing ceased and the echoes of the shots died away. The raw recruits glanced down the fence row, which was dark with men crouching, cowering and lying behind it while their guns formed a series of parallel black muzzles. The moon shone in peaceful splendor upon the scene, and it seemed as if it were a fair light. No one could be seen in the wood beyond, but it was from that point that the attack was threatened.

When Luke found old Arkansas Tom on

one side of him, and Ned Cotton on the other, he smelted his own self-possession. Where were the enemy? Not one was in sight, nor had a shot been fired in the last three minutes. Luke asked Arkansas Tom where the rebels were, and he told him that they were not far away, and were advancing on them, for they had already driven in the pickets. But so peaceful and quiet was the scene that Luke was about half inclined to believe there was some mistake about it.

The crickets, which had been awed to silence by these rude alarms, resumed their chirrup, and the whippoorwill, on the distant hill, renewed its song. A pig came straggling down the path beyond the fence, grunting and rooting about among the leaves, wholly unconscious of danger. For several moments not a word was heard, and naught save crickets, night birds, the rustling of leaves and grunting of the pig broke the silence. This waiting—this expecting a bloody struggle—was more trying on the nerves than if a death struggle was at hand. Luke's mind was busy recalling the past and trying to dip into the future. Would he be killed and all on earth below, and would the mystery of his birth be revealed only in eternity?

Some one whispered:

"They come!"

The regular tramp of feet could be heard coming over the distant ridge, where the attacking party had evidently halted to dress their lines.

"Stiddy, stiddy!" said Captain Smart, in a voice which was a little unsteady itself, but which had within it a ring of determination that gave courage to the men.

Luke strained his eyes to catch a glimpse of the foe. The new approach of the marching columns indicated that the would soon be in sight, and, despite all his determination, he found himself trembling.

The pig continued to root about among the leaves, at peace with all the world, and giving vent to its satisfaction in expressive grunts.

The enemy at last came in sight among the trees on the ridge, and despite the injunctions of the officers the more nervous of the recruits began to roar and began blazing away at them. Luke at first determined to obey the command of his superiors, but when he saw the foe were near enough to make a sure shot, but the enemy being recruits also, and as nervous as the men they were attacking, returned the fire, and when a bullet struck near him, he near him to cover his face with dust and rotten wood, he could no longer restrain himself, and blood-awed with the others.

The pig gave utterance to a squeal of alarm and ran rather and thither, met everywhere with blinding flashes and deafening reports, until it at last raced down the fence row at full speed.

The enemy made no charge, but contented themselves to fire a few shots at long range, and then gradually fell back.

Whether any of them had been killed or wounded the Union recruits could not determine, though next morning a puddle of blood close to a tree was discovered. Bill Snow, the only man touched on the Union side, had a slight flesh wound in his arm.

Captain Smart was so anxious to pursue the enemy, but contented himself to remain behind the fence with his forces for an hour or two after they had disappeared. The attacking force was evidently anxious to pursue his own, and failing to make a complete surprise, or even take advantage of the partial surprise, they had deemed it best to retreat.

Sleep was a stranger to the eyes of the few soldiers the remainder of that night. When morning came not a sign of an enemy could be found. It was the general belief that the opposing force would renew the battle at daylight, but when it came they were surprised to find the bullet-shattered oaks and fences remained to tell that a conflict had raged there but a few hours before.

The recruits, elated at their victory, seemed to have suddenly developed into veterans. In their enthusiasm they wanted to lead at once against Lexington, which was supposed to be the investing with a force variously estimated at from twenty to one hundred thousand men.

The recruits were at a turmoil for the lack of a leader. Two days were spent in trying to devise some general mode of action. Luke, disgusted with a military organization which seemed no stronger than a rope of sand, was half inclined to desert and seek the service of his country elsewhere.

They were constantly threatening to break up and go off in different directions, each company to itself. Nothing but the bravado of their banners of Congress rates swarmed everywhere held them together at Sargent. On the evening of the third day a man mounted on a jaded horse rode into camp with some details to be consulted in regard to the march. Captain Smart still had nominal command of the force, but his authority was liable to be surped at any time.

By pressing into service such teams as could be found, they managed to organize a mailbaggage train, and prepared for the great extent helped to pour oil on the troubled waters, and brought him into the favorable notice of his superiors.

At last the march was begun, and to Luke's astonishment, as well as delight, he found that their course took them down the road which led past Mr. Neff's farm-house. The whole country was wild with alarm, and they frequently found farm-houses deserted.

Those deserted houses were plundered by the lawless recruits, and to have no idea of war above that of pillage. Captain Smart and many others did all they could to prevent the lawless results, but a sad lack of military discipline rendered them powerless.

"Captain Smart," Luke said, as they were marching down the road, "I've just met and past the farm of Mr. Neff. 'Can't you let me have a small detail, and go forward to guard a farm-house about five miles in our advance?"

"Why d'ye want to do that?" the Captain asked.

"Those people are my friends."

"Are they rebels?"

"Some may be—some are not; but I have sworn that the young girl and that helpless old man shall not suffer insults which I have seen heaped upon the inoffensive and weak by these soldiers."

Captain Smart, remembering the advantage Luke's suggestions had been to him, said:

"I'll give ye any four men in my company ye want, if ye think they'll be enough to protect the people. I've tried 't' stop their stealin', but it don't seem in my power. If you kin do it, yer welcome 't' the detail."

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# HAZEL GREEN HERALD.

SPENCER COOPER, - - - Editor.

HAZEL GREEN, KY.:  
FRIDAY, - May 22, 1891.



THE CONVENTION.

Brown, Afford, Hendrick, Norman, Hale, Swango, Thompson, and Addams, the Successful Candidates.

Pursuant to the call of the Chairman of the State executive committee, the State Democratic convention was begun at the Liederkranz Hall, Louisville, on Wednesday, 13th inst., at noon, and was called to order by Gen. J. B. Castleman, Chairman of the State Central Committee.

Hon. Herschel V. Goodnight, of Simpson county, was chosen Temporary Chairman, and James E. Stone, Temporary Secretary. The routine work of the Convention then began, by Wilbur Browder offering a resolution to the effect that the Temporary Chairman name two members from the State-at-large to serve on Committees on Credentials, Resolutions and Permanent Organization. Ex-Gov. McCreary offered an amendment allowing each Congressional district to name one member for each of these committees. The resolution as amended was adopted, and another amendment, offered by Jake Corbett, that the districts also each name a Vice-President, went with it.

The call resulted as follows:

## CREDENTIALS.

First District—J. E. Robbins.  
Second District—John L. Dorsey.  
Third District—John G. Ordorff.  
Fourth District—W. C. McChord.  
Fifth District—W. C. Abraham.  
Sixth District—Leslie Applegate.  
Seventh District—James E. Cantrill.  
Eighth District—G. C. Breckinridge.  
Ninth District—John Novell.  
Tenth District—Z. T. Young.  
Eleventh District—O. H. Waddle.

## ORGANIZATION.

First District—W. M. Reed.  
Second District—J. F. Dempsey.  
Third District—F. H. Briscoe.  
Fourth District—A. Robertson.  
Fifth District—W. B. Haldeman.  
Sixth District—George C. Perkins.  
Seventh District—Jerry D. Lillard.  
Eighth District—R. A. Briggs.  
Ninth District—R. K. Hart.  
Tenth District—D. D. Sublett.  
Eleventh District—W. S. Stone.

## RESOLUTIONS.

First District—J. D. White.  
Second District—H. B. Allen.  
Third District—J. M. Porter.  
Fourth District—R. P. Hocker.  
Fifth District—B. W. Duke.  
Sixth District—Mare D. Gray.  
Seventh District—Thomas H. Hines.  
Eighth District—W. G. Welch.  
Ninth District—J. K. Lackey.  
Tenth District—W. M. Beckner.  
Eleventh District—O. V. Reilly.

## VICE-PRESIDENTS.

First District—R. G. Burgh.  
Second District—C. C. Hale.  
Third District—A. L. Peterman.  
Fourth District—A. A. Burton.  
Fifth District—R. C. Fleming.  
Sixth District—William Lindsay.  
Seventh District—R. S. Hearn.  
Eighth District—M. D. Logan.  
Ninth District—Henry Bruce.  
Tenth District—J. H. Kehoe.  
Eleventh District—J. R. Hindman.

Chairman Goodnight then announced his selections as follows:

On Permanent Organization—G. B. Edwards, Logan; Ira Julian, Frankfort. On Credentials—John B. Thompson, of Mercer; C. W. Milliken, Simpson. On Resolutions—J. C. S. Blackburn, of Woodward; I. B. Nail, of Jefferson.

After considerable debate the convention adjourned until 8 o'clock p. m.

On reassembling of the convention the Committee on Permanent Organization reported as follows:

The Committee on Organization beg leave to present the following report. They recommend for permanent Chairman, Chas. R. Long, of the county of Jefferson.

Vice Presidents to be as reported from the several Congressional Subdistricts. For Permanent Secretary, J. E. Stone. Assistant Secretaries, Green R. Keller and C. B. Leigh.

Sergeant-at-Arms, Robert Tyler. Col. Ed. McGrath and Todd Hall, assistants. Nominations for respective State offices shall be made in the following order:

First, Governor.  
Second, Lieutenant Governor.  
Third, Attorney General.  
Fourth, Auditor.  
Fifth, Treasurer.

Sixth, Register of the Land Office.  
Seventh, Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Eight, Clerk of the Court of Appeals. We recommend that after the tenth ballot for candidates of each office, the candidate receiving the lowest number of votes on that ballot be dropped, and on each successive ballot receiving the lowest number of votes be dropped until a

nomination be made. That a candidate withdrawn or dropped can not again be placed in nomination. And your committee ask further time to report to the convention as to State and district organization.

GEORGE PERKINS, Chairman.

The recommendation for dropping candidates struck the convention favorably, as it promised, if adopted, to prevent the protracted and tedious balloting.

Nominating speeches were then declared in order, and work was begun at once. Reuben A. Miller, of Owensboro, took the platform and made an eloquent appeal to the Democracy of Kentucky in presenting the claims of Hon. John Young Brown to the convention. Space alone forbids us giving the speeches in detail. Hon. A. S. Berry presented the name of Cassius M. Clay. Theodore Hallam, of Covington, nominated P. Wat. Hardin, of Mercer county. In the absence of Hon. Jas. A. McKenzie, Dr. Clardy's name was not offered, and the convention adjourned until 10 a. m., Thursday.

Immediately after the convention was called to order, Mr. McKenzie put the name of Dr. John D. Clardy in nomination in a stirring and pathetic appeal, and the forenoon was taken up with nominating speeches. At the opening of the afternoon session the delegates were entertained with an eloquent address by Hon. Livingston, the Democrat-Alliance Congressman from Georgia. The report of the committee on Credentials was read and adopted. The Committee on Resolutions then offered the following:

First—The Democracy of Kentucky declare their unflinching devotion to the principles of public policy which make the party maintaining them as national in purpose and as popular in spirit as it was when founded by Jefferson.

Second—We congratulate the country that the elections of the past year give abundant promise of the overthrow of the Republican party and the final and complete restoration to the people of the control of the Federal Government.

Third—We insist that tariff reform is the paramount issue before the American people and denounce the McKinley bill as the most outrageous measure of taxation ever proposed in the American Congress. It has increased the burdens, already too great, upon the necessities of life and reduced taxes on luxuries that are most able to bear them. It has made existence harder for every farmer and wage-earner in the land, in order that the profits of the monopolies and trusts may be increased. It robs the many to enrich the few and does not open a market for a single bushel of wheat or a single barrel of pork. In contrast with it the policy of Grover Cleveland and John G. Carlisle would discourage unnecessary expenditures, provide for needed revenues, cheapen what we buy and open the markets of the world to the products of our farms and factories.

Fourth—Recognizing the fact that the United States is the greatest silver-producing country in the world, and that both gold and silver were equally the money of the Constitution from the beginning of the republic until the hostile and fraudulent legislation of the Republican party against silver, which unduly contracted the circulating medium of the country, and feeling that the great interests of the people demand more money for use in the channels of trade and commerce, we tender our gratitude to the Democrats in the last Congress for their almost unanimous votes in both houses in favor of the free coinage of silver, and demand its restoration to the position of equality before the law given to it by our fathers.

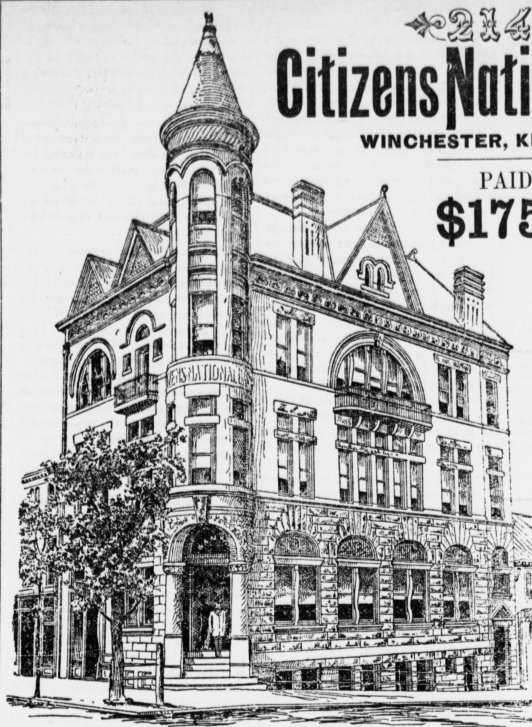
Fifth—We present for the consideration of the people of the land the course of a Republican Congress which, by its reckless, profligate and ruinous expenditure of public money, has in two years squandered the surplus of more than a hundred million dollars left in the Federal Treasury by a Democratic administration, whilst it has increased in the most extraordinary and unprecedented manner taxation that will add to the distress of the people and at the same time be inadequate to meet the demands of those who are using the Government to serve their selfish purposes.

Sixth—We return thanks to the patriotic members of the last Senate of the United States who defeated the unjust, iniquitous and partisan measure known as the Force bill, which would have been a fearful blow at home-rule and local self-government, and was intended to place in the hands of the Republican party the means whereby they might, by force, fraud and intimidation have perpetuated its iniquitous rule and destroyed the freedom and integrity of the ballot.

Seventh—We commend to the people of the State the manly, patriotic and upright course of the Chief Executive whom the Democratic party gave to the Commonwealth four years ago, and in whose administration as consistent with the principles on which he was nominated and elected.

As soon as the secretary had finished reading the report great commotion prevailed, and a stirring speech was made by Senator Blackburn in behalf of the silver plank. Mr. McKenzie opposed that resolution, which caused some personalities, but quiet was restored and the report adopted.

Balloting then began and the result of the first ballot was Brown, 2754; Clay, 1841; Clardy, 1904; Hardin, 2641; Wolfe county dividing her votes equally between the four candidates, giving each



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one vote. Balloting continued without much change until the tenth was taken, when the Chairman announced that under the rules the hindmost man would be successively dropped until a nomination was made. Dr. Clardy and Gen. Hardin were dropped after the eleventh and twelfth ballots, and on the thirteenth ballot John Young Brown received 4604 votes and settled the fight, but before balloting had ended Mr. Owens withdrew the name of Clay and moved to make the nomination unanimous.

Then came the fight for second place on the ticket. Senator Mulligan, of Lexington, in an eloquent and forcible speech, placed in nomination Hon. Mitchell C. Afford for Lieutenant-Governor. When Senator Mulligan had finished, Mr. J. P. Tarvin moved that the nomination be made by acclamation, which was done amid tremendous cheering.

Space forbids our going into detail with all the various offices, but we give the full ticket as nominated by the convention:

Attorney General—W. J. Hendrick.  
Auditor—L. C. Norman.  
Treasurer—H. S. Hale.  
Register of the Land Office—G. B. Swango.  
Superintendent of Public Instruction—Ed. Porter Thompson.  
Clerk Court of Appeal—A. Addams.

The bitterest contest of the convention was that for Register of the Land Office, a full account of which, taken from the Courier-Journal, will be found on another page.

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We are authorized to announce WEEDEN CONKLINTON as a candidate for Sheriff of Wolfe County, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

JAMES K. ROBERTS, of Lee county, is a candidate for State Senator from this, the 34th Senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JOHN S. HARRIS, of Jackson, as a candidate for State Senator from this, the 34th Senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JOHN P. WELLS, of Paintsville, Johnson county, as a candidate for Senator from this, the 34th Senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JOHN D. ATKINSON, of Powell county, as a candidate for State Senator from the 34th Senatorial district, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The many friends of O. H. Swango are pleased to see him on the streets again.

Spencer Cooper and better jg. are expected to return home Saturday evening.

Floyd Day, after an absence of several weeks on business, returned home Wednesday evening.

John H. Pieratt feels proud over the recognition of Eastern Kentucky claims in the Louisville convention.

R. H. Vansant, of Elliott, was chosen as Executive committeeman for this district at the Louisville convention.

The protracted drought and cold weather is quite a drawback to all kinds of garden truck and other agricultural pursuits.

John S. Hargis, of Breathitt county, candidate for State Senator from this district, passed through town en route Menifee county.

J. Taylor Day returned home Wednesday, after an extended trip to Louisville and Cincinnati markets replenishing their already large stock.

It is with pleasure we announce to our readers that B. G. Swango has been nominated for Register of the Land office, and a good one he will make.

Some of the recent guests at the Day House were: W. H. Giles, Mt. Sterling; G. M. Christian, Portsmouth, Ohio; C. W. Milliken, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Elder D. G. Combs preached at the Christian church at this place Saturday afternoon and evening, and Sunday morning and evening to large congregations.

There will be religious services held at Ezel on the fifth Sunday in May, 31st inst, at half past ten o'clock in the morning, conducted by Elder J. T. Pieratt.

Misses Lula and Lillie Day, who have been in Cincinnati purchasing the latest styles of ladies' head wear and trimmings, returned home Wednesday evening.

Delegates to the Louisville convention have all returned home, and express themselves highly pleased with the courteous treatment received while in the Falls City.

Hon. G. B. Swango returned from the Louisville convention Tuesday evening and is greatly elated over his success in securing the nomination for Register of the Land Office.

The funeral of Valentine Pieratt, late of Morgan county, will be preached at his old home, on Blackwater, by Elder H. H. Little, of the Christian church, at half past ten o'clock in the morning. All are invited.

### ATTENTION, DEMOCRATS.

CAMPTON, Ky., May 19, 1891.

Pursuant to a call of the Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of the Thirty-fourth Senatorial District, the Democrats of Wolfe county will meet in mass convention at their respective voting places in Wolfe county on Saturday, May 25, 1891, at one o'clock P. M., and organize by electing a chairman and a secretary, and when thus organized they will take the vote of all present as to the candidates for their choice for State Senator, and the chairman and secretary will certify the vote for each candidate, and said district convention will select one or more delegates to represent said precinct in a delegate county convention to be held at Campton, Ky., on 25th day of May, 1891, at one o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of selecting delegates to represent Wolfe county in the District convention to be held at Campton, Ky., on 27th day of May, 1891, to nominate a Democratic candidate to be voted for at the August election, 1891, for State Senator from said 34th district.

JOSEPH C. LYKINS, Chairman Democratic County Committee Wolfe County.

What has become of the movement that was set on foot last fall to establish an express office in Hazel Green? Since the back line has been started between here and Rothwell station, it seems that all express matter for Hazel Green is sent over the K. U. road to Torrent, thus necessitating the employment of a special wagoner to bring small parcels to this place which could easily be brought on the back were arrangements made to have an office in Hazel Green.

There will be an election held at the school house in Hazel Green on Saturday, June 6, 1891, for the purpose of choosing a trustee for school district No. 26. Every voter in the district should turn out on this occasion and help in electing some good person who has at heart the proper education of children and will see that none but the best of teachers are employed in the district.

The Ezel Mill company are pulling down their old buildings and making considerable improvements, adding wool carding machinery, which will soon be in operation, and as Stephen Petworth, of Owsley county, one of the oldest and most experienced carders in this county, will take charge of this department, those patronizing them in this line may rest assured of perfect satisfaction. 8tf

Miss Laura Rawlings, of Covington, who formerly kept a millinery establishment in Hazel Green, in connection with J. T. Day & Co.'s store, arrived here on Wednesday evening and will, in partnership with Miss Lilla Day, open a large millinery store, due notice of which will be given in future issues of THE HERALD.

A letter received at this office last week from Eld. D. H. Fallen, but too late to make mention of in time, that a protracted meeting would be held at Daysboro beginning on the 19th inst. Bro. Fallen passed through town last Tuesday to begin the meeting, and it promises to be a successful one so far as heard from.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the Campton Carding Machine in another column. Messrs. Potts & Bailey have leased the machine, and having secured the services of Jas. A. Spencer, an expert carder well known in this section, guarantee satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage.

J. Z. Haney will preach at the Presbyterian church in this place Sunday at 11 A. M., and at 7:30 P. M. He will also deliver a talk to the children at 3 P. M. of the same day and at the same church. Everybody invited, especially the children.

J. W. Craven returned home Sunday evening after a two weeks' jaunt with a commercial tourist through the towns of Eastern Kentucky, and left again Wednesday morning for Montgomery and Bath counties to set up a number of tombstones.

Dr. J. A. Talbee has returned from the Louisville convention, and wears his "delegate" badge as a mark of distinction in honor of the glorious victory won by the mountain boys in securing the nomination of Judge Swango.

On next Sunday, the 24th inst., Elder J. T. Pieratt will preach at Dr. Nickell's school house, on Blackwater, at half past ten o'clock in the morning and half past three o'clock in the afternoon.

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### Will Make the Race.

CAMPTON, Ky., May 18, 1891.

To the Voters of Wolfe County:

Having accepted a temporary position as detective for the K. U. railroad company, I desire to say to the people of Wolfe county that my present engagement with said company does not and shall not prevent me from making the race for Sheriff, as I am still, and will continue to be, a candidate until the candidates are voted for, all other reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

Yours obediently,

GEORGE W. DRAKE.

### Campton Cureney.

W. T. Bailey, of Manchester, was here Monday.

Born—To the wife of John J. Tutt, one day last week, a girl.

H. B. Maupin, of Catletsburg, was in town last Wednesday on business.

George Drake directs us to have his paper changed to Elkatawa, Breathitt Co., Ky.

Marriage license were issued to John Floyd King and Miss Fanny Watkins yesterday.

Henry Mattock, of Knoxville, Tenn., and C. D. Sublett, of Mt. Sterling, were here last week on business.

G. M. Christian, of Portsmouth, Ohio, and W. H. Giles, of Mt. Sterling, were in town yesterday on business.

W. H. Simms, of St. Helens; G. W. Sewell, of Jackson, and B. M. Combs, of Talbee, were registered at the Combs House one day last week.

B. F. Vansant, of Martinsburg, came up from the Louisville convention Sunday, and left yesterday for Beattyville and other points on business.

The show, the beautiful show, at Winchester, drew quite a number of ladies and gentlemen from this place to see the elephant. Too numerous to mention.

George Drake, private detective for the K. U. R. R., returned from Covington Saturday and spent Sunday with his family, and left Monday for his post of duty. "Boys look out."

James, son of Henry Madden, was kicked by a horse last Sunday. Dr. J. H. Stamper was called to see him and dressed his wounds. He reports three ribs broken and other injuries, though he will probably recover.

J. B. Hollon and A. F. Byrd returned yesterday from the Louisville convention. The boys and everybody else are all in smiles over the nomination of Hon. G. B. Swango for Register of the Land Office. "Praise God from whom all blessings flow."

I noticed last week that J. C. Lykins, our efficient County Attorney, looked unusually pleasant, and I was at last to understand the cause until Dr. Stamper told us it was a boy born there last week. The mother and child are getting along very well.

Dr. H. H. Stamper, son of Dr. J. H. Stamper, left here for Stonewall, Indian Territory, a few weeks since to practice his profession, and writes his father that he is well satisfied with his new home and is getting a good practice. While we regret to lose such a promising young man as Harvey from our midst, yet we wish him, and feel certain that he will have abundant success in his new field of labor.

May 19. TOM THUMB.

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## ADDITIONAL ALLIANCE.

### The Sub-Treasury Plan.

Before attempting to answer any of the objections (constitutional or otherwise) to the plan, we desire to state that there is but little besides ridicule, bare assertions, misrepresentations and the cheapest kind of baldheaded offered to be controverted. If the plan is open to one-half the objections which its enemies charge it with, it is strange that some good, logical reasons have not been given to sustain those objections. We have watched with considerable interest the discussion (if such it might be called) of this measure, and we have failed as yet to see a single good, logical reason why it should not become a law. For the benefit of our readers we will quote some of the objections which we have noted as they appeared in the press from time to time.

A correspondent in the *Journal of Agriculture* says of the plan:

"1. It is the Protective idea gone mad.

"2. It is the old lifeless Greenback Rag Baby galvanized into life by the feat of 4,000,000 American citizens belonging to and allied with the 'Union' and with 'torch and axe' threatening to demolish the financial system, the wisdom and experience of the ages has laboriously created."

This correspondent then proceeds to make what he calls an argument in the following manner: "It is the most unreasonable, unconstitutional, unjust and unequal demand for protection ever made in this land of protection." What is there in the above statement except mere assertions? But here he goes again:

"The money this system would require would demand more than treble additional taxation, unless it were secured by the plan proposed in this system and which would be worse than the protection and treble taxation combined."

In the next paragraph he says: "I shall not at present attempt to ascertain how much it would cost to put this sub-treasury scheme in operation and keep it running."

Right here let us pause to ask the gentleman how he knows that it 'would demand more than treble additional taxation' to institute the system, if he has made no attempt to ascertain how much it would cost? The present National taxation is about \$400,000,000. Three times this amount is \$1,200,000,000. This is the amount which this versatile correspondent says will be required to put the plan in operation. According to his figures, this would furnish the sum of \$1,500,000 to each county provided in the plan. By ascertaining the assessed valuation of all the property in your county you can easily determine the unfairness of his statement. But then he says he makes no attempt to ascertain the cost, and we are inclined to believe this statement, at least, to be true. But he continues: "The money necessary to carry out the plan is to be raised \* \* by the issue of legal tender paper money. If this wonderful plan of getting money can be made to work, the wealth of a nation can only be limited by the supply of paper, the capacity of printing presses and the combination of the Arabic numbers. Under such a 'monetary system' our present magnificent denominations of money would become wasteful of time and material, if not utterly useless when made. For if the government can print on a piece of paper the legend, 'This is one dollar,' and by fixing the seal of authority make it one dollar, wouldn't it be a more expeditious way of raising revenue to print instead, 'This is one million dollars'?"

What stupendous argument! We have read that the way to answer a fool was with his own folly. We will try a little of that advice right here, for we have certainly found the fool. He holds that gold and silver are the only constitutional money. Very well. Now, if the government can make money by the issue of gold and silver, "that money is wasteful of time and material." If the government can print (stamp) on a piece of gold or silver the legend "This is one dollar," and by fixing the seal of authority make it one dollar, wouldn't it be a more expeditious way of raising revenue to print instead, "This is one million dollars"?

"The wealth of a nation, then, would only be limited by the supply of gold and silver, the capacity of the mints, and the combinations of the Arabic numbers."

This correspondent, who sets out in his article of criticism proclaiming to be a member of the "Union," undertakes to give his loyalty to the Order by criticising its two most prominent and essential objects, the issue of legal tenders and the establishment of the subtreasury plan. He produces no argument against either

more than that above quoted. He says he believes gold and silver is the only constitutional money and that "Congress should have no power over the subject." He concludes his long and desultory article with the assertion that what he has said "has been dictated by the right spirit and a desire if possible to turn my fellow-laborers in the great cause of labor from the pursuit of such chimerical schemes, to the consideration of more important measures. I respect the learning, the ability, the patriotism and the devotion of the men who proposed this system, but even that cannot induce me to remain quiet when I believe a project so pregnant with evil to all class is being inaugurated."

The article in question is only a sample of what is going the rounds of the monopolistic press, and only echoes the objections which have been made for years by the money power of Wall street and their henchmen and dupes all over the country. It is the same old plea for an "honest money" which has cost this country so dear already. It is simply asserted to be unconstitutional without a single feature pointed out, wherein it conflicts with the constitution.

Protection gone mad, indeed! It has become popular, of late years, when the farmer, or laborer of any kind, asks for a little legislation to protect him from the insatiable greed of corporations and the money power, to raise the cry of class legislation. Had the political henchmen who are now so ready to raise this cry against the sub-treasury plan been as swift in sounding their warnings against the class laws already upon the statute books of the country, their sincerity, at present, would not be questioned. As it is it looks very much like they were the hirelings of Wall street and its manipulators. That there are some who honestly oppose the sub-treasury plan we do not doubt, but they are not rushing into print with long articles composed of a senseless jargon of words which indicate the fact they are either ignorant of the principles involved in the plan, or are trucking to their political masters for the purpose of gratifying a selfish ambition. We would be a man, or a mouse, or a long-tailed rat, if we belonged to an Order of which 95 per cent indorsed certain measures, before we joined the enemy in fighting these measures we were resign, step down and out and take our position with the natural enemies of the Order. If we could not get the consent of our minds to do this or summon courage enough to be a man, we would go out, crawl in a hole and die. The most miserable and deplorable spectacle imaginable is a man who assists the natural enemies to destroy or impair the Order to which he belongs. Judas Iscariot is a credit to such a man, because he went and hung himself after his treachery, and such a thing can not be expected of some of the traitors within the ranks of the Alliance.

As to the "Greenback Rag Baby" being galvanized into life it is a mistake. That much abused child has been enjoying very robust health for many years. The Supreme Court of the United States breathes into its nostrils the elixir of perpetual life. It is true that it has grown to such magnificent proportions and stature that it became necessary to put on new garments. It had outgrown the old ones. For this reason many of its old-time enemies have not recognized it. Others are embracing it, because it has on new clothes. But the baby is and always has been distressfully (for the Harazdites) healthy. He is now training to kick the pedestal from under the gold god and to box the ears of bi-metalists who worship to idols. This young giant has been under the training of the goddess of liberty, who, it will be remembered, has been absent from the national capital for a number of years, and who now asserts that he (the "Rag Baby") is the rightful heir to the throne. In any event the young man, supported by the influence of his god-mother—the Goddess—will make it hot for the boodlers.

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Black horse, 15 hands 3 inches high; foaled June 15, 1883. Bred at Ashland Park.

Sired by **BANKER, 4144.**

Own brother to Lysander, sire of Lysander Boy 2:29½; Watt 2:24½; William Kearney 2:20½; Lysander Child 1646.

First dam **Pattie Patchen**, tris 2:38 (grandam of Chestnut Wilkes 2:29); by Manbrino Patchen, sire of the dams of Guy Wilkes 2:15½; Astral 2:18; Rosa Wilkes 2:18½; Elvira 2:18½; Cleora 2:18½; Houli 2:17; and 29 others in the 2:30 list.

Second dam **Mandy** by Stanhope's Blood Hawk, sire of dam of Almont 2:27½; and Aley Wilkes 2:26½.

Third dam **Pattie**, by Downing's Vermont, sire of the dam of Enigma 2:26; Manbrino Bruce 2:40½; sire of K. Curry 2:18½; Bell Wilson 2:25; Giff's Vermont 2:26; Honner Boy 2:23; and sire of the dams of Abel 2:24½; Cal. Bradshaw 2:20½; Nelly L. 2:23½; Astral 2:18; The King 2:24½; Outlaw 2:29½; Pearl 2:30.

Fourth dam **Jesse**, by Thomas Jefferson. He is a beautiful black, with right hind ankle white, stands 15½ hands high, and is a perfect horse all over, having both bone and substance combined, with the form and finish characteristic of the cross he so well represents, viz: Hambletonian sire and Manbrino Patchen dam. This cross stands as the very best, because public performances have demonstrated its value. Of its many representatives not one is the superior of Bermuda, for not one has demonstrated the same ability to train on from year to year, beginning in the yearling form; none are better bred or better looking.

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First dam **Sally Hamlet** (winner of two-year-old Hamlet Stakes in 1875); by Hamlet (sire of Loretta F 2:18½; A. V. Pantlind 2:20½; Truro, pacer, 2:22½; Lady M 2:22½; Leontine 2:23½; Brookside Flora 2:29; and the dams of Thornless 2:18½; Cyclone 2:23½; Grady 2:25½; Graceful 2:25½; and Hamletta 2:29½).

Second dam **Sal** (dam of Casper 2:20½; Captain Clay, Driftwood, and grandam of Marlowe, pacer, 2:15); by Canada Chief, sire of dams of Governor, 2:30; and Joe Hooker, sire of Maud Macey, 2:17½, etc.

Third dam (the dam of Soffe, that produced Blanche, 2:25½), by imp. Yorkshire, sire of dam of Ashland Chief, sire of Black Cloud 2:17½.

Fourth dam by Woodpecker, thoroughbred, sire of Prince 2:27½, ten miles in 28:08½.

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## WEST CLOUD,

(—5195—)

Out of the dam of Black Cloud, 2:17½, his sire out of 18 dams of Wilson, 2:16½.

Bay horse, foaled March 31, 1884. Bred at Ashland Park.

Sired by **ABDALLAH WEST, 2568.**

(Sire of Wilkin, 2:27).

First dam the dam of Black Cloud 2:17½; by Pilot Walker, pacer.

Second dam the Cluke pacer mare.

NOTE.—Abdallah West, 2568, by Allie West, 1st dam Miss Coons, dam of Wilson, 2:16½, by Clark Chief, 2d dam Ohio, by American Jack; 3d dam brought from Ohio and represented to be by Brown's Belflower; a half-bred West died in 1891. He was the most promising colt ever bred.

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FRIDAY, - May 22, 1891.



## THE BITTEREST CONTEST.

The Extreme of a State in a Desperate Struggle Over the Office of Register.

A surprise awaited the convention in the fight over the relatively unimportant nomination for Register of the Land Office. It proved to be the most sensational and prolonged struggle of the session.

Before it ended it arrayed the mountains against the Purchase. Western Kentucky went down before the candidate from Wolfe county.

Four candidates were placed in nomination: Thomas H. Corbett, of McCracken; I. Alex. Grant, of Franklin; T. B. Bullock, of Lewis, and G. B. Swango, of Wolfe.

Mr. Swango was presented by Sam G. Salyer, of Morgan county. Mr. Salyer said:

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Convention: I am here to ask recognition of a great Democratic principle from this representative body of the Democracy of Kentucky. It has been long instilled in the minds of the American people that no exclusive privileges should be granted to any person; that the same justice should be extended alike to all, and that that principle should apply to counties as well as individuals. Eastern Kentucky has never been clamorous for office. You have never been compelled to attach to the State ticket the name of a man from that section in order to command her support to the Democratic party. [Applause.] She has been content to vote the ticket, and rejoice in the glorious victories achieved under the gallant leaders from other portions of the State. We are not willing to jeopardize our success as a party to sectional animosity or private gain. Though we have been repeatedly ignored by State conventions, we have never faltered. [Applause.] We have always voted with the same warmth of feeling as though Eastern Kentucky was represented on the State ticket. [Applause.] Mr. Chairman, and gentlemen, the Democracy of Eastern Kentucky present to you a man who has never had a disposition to wander after strange gods or new doctrines. He is a farmer who believes that the hope of the farmers of this country for redress of grievances lies in the success of the Democratic party. [Applause.] Give our part of the State her proper show of representation. Let us go before the people, not only united by the ties of a common interest, but bound together by a local pride, and the people of the whole State will rally around us at the polls and show to the world that Kentucky is awake and alive to her interests. I have the honor to name for the office of Register of the Land Office, Judge G. B. Swango, of the county of Wolfe. [Applause.]



G. B. SWANGO.

The first ballot for Register was taken without incident, and resulted as follows: Bullock ..... 91 Corbett ..... 329 Grant ..... 191 Swango ..... 236

The second ballot proceeded almost to a close without any change. Before the result was announced Bullock was withdrawn, and his votes began to divide between Corbett and Swango, a number of Western Kentucky counties showing a friendly leaning toward the latter. The confusion of making changes became so great that the chair announced that the vote would be recapitulated, which was done amid great disorder.

Once more the ballot approached completion, and once more it halted for the withdrawal of a name. Mr. Grant disappearing from the contest. His name was withdrawn by Mr. J. Andrew Scott, of

Franklin, who at the same time cast the twelve votes of Franklin county for Swango.

Mr. Grant's withdrawal narrowed the race to Corbett and Swango, and a rush at once began in the change of Grant's votes to the remaining candidates. Before this work was finished other changes began. Logan threw part of her votes to Swango. Kenton dumped the heavy weight of her twenty-nine votes into the Swango column. Fayette gave Swango a lift, and W. W. Dickerson, W. C. McChord, and a score of others were noisily clamoring for recognition in order to make changes. The Corbett men became alarmed, and the confusion was interminable.

The chair once more came to the rescue with the clearness of head and firmness of purpose which have characterized him during the sitting of the convention, and stopped the disorder by stating that the entire ballot would be taken over again.

Once more the clerks began to call off the second ballot. When Franklin county was reached a squabble arose over her vote. Henderson gave half her votes to each of the candidates. Christian went entirely to Swango, and so did Anderson and part of Breckinridge. The result was close, but Swango was behind, and his leaders prepared to snatch victory from defeat.

The result was almost ready to be announced. An eager crowd of delegates elbowed each other in a confused mass in front of the platform demanding an opportunity to have votes changed. Taylor Young, perched upon a chair, and John Hager, near by him, vigorously demanded a chance for the mountain man, while Tom Fitzpatrick added his voice to the general clamor. The Corbett men all loudly called for the statement of the vote.

Meanwhile trouble developed in Bourbon county. Claude Thomas insisted on casting part of the vote for Swango. Two of the six delegates present were for Swango and claimed a proportionate representation in the vote, giving Swango 34 and Corbett 61. Frank Armstrong, the Chairman, would concede only two votes to Swango. As the finish was close, the slight difference in Bourbon would probably have turned the scale, and both sides yelled out their protests against the other.

A difference also sprang up in Fayette county. Part of the delegation wanted to change to Swango.

The ballot had already been taken three times and recapitulated once, and while the clerks were footing up the result, the chair stubbornly refused to recognize any one for the purpose of making further changes.

The uproar became deafening and the space in front of the stage was packed with a mass of sweltering, excited and yelling delegates, demanding changes, recapitulations, the result, and everything else.

At last the chair announced that in order to satisfy everybody and get the vote of each county correctly recorded, the counties would once more be called, if satisfactory to both sides, with the distinct understanding that the vote announced on this call was to be final and that there would be no more changes or recapitulations after the end of the list had been reached. He said the secretaries had already footed up the result and had it ready to announce. He himself did not know how it stood, and he had never meant to refuse counties the privilege of changing their votes. He only wanted it done decently and in order. He had no interest in the matter except to see fairness done. In order, therefore, to see if the vote had been correctly recorded, and to let every desired change be made, the counties would be called again.

Both sides expressed themselves satisfied with the arrangement, and all took their seats, allowing the fifth call of counties to begin on the sharply contested second ballot.

It had become known that the vote was very close, but none new just how close. One rumor was that the first footing gave each candidate 459 votes. As this made one vote too much, a search was made for the error, and nobody was allowed to know how it affected the result when found. For that reason both sides wanted the recapitulation which had been ordered.

The ballot showed no change till Bourbon was called, where Thomas triumphed and the delegation, returning from a consultation, agreed on giving 34 votes to Swango and 63 to Corbett.

Campbell county gave its 21 votes to Swango. Fayette, after several changes, gave 7 of its votes to Swango. Henderson county, which had been giving Swango half her vote, now gave him all. Jefferson county gave the mountain man a lift of 4 additional votes. McLean county transferred her 5 votes to him, and Russell her 3 and Wayne 1.

To all who had kept up with the progress of the ballot, Swango's victory was plain before the call was completed.

When this disagreeable conviction forced itself upon the Corbett men, they began a desperate fight to save their man. They demanded the right to change votes, but the chair reminded them of their agreement to let the result be announced without further change. They appeared to be merely playing for time, as they named no special county which wanted to change. But they fought hard. Jas. B. Garnett, of Trigg, plied his sonorous voice in a fervent protest against what he denounced an arbitrary denial of the right of counties to change their votes. Jake Corbett fluttered about, shouting at the chair and demanding a recapitulation. Delegate Cocke, of Ballard county, was especially vociferous and incoherent. Everybody talked and yelled by turns and nobody listened. The chair steadily refused to allow any further recapitulation, and the clerks went on with the count unmindful of the noise.

Finding they could not move the Chairman and feeling defeat closing upon them, the Corbett men became desperate, and the scene in front of the platform was the wildest of the whole convention. The Corbett men from the "Purchase" gathered about their leaders on the right, while the mountaineers who managed Swango's fight faced them from the other side and met all their demands with resolve and triumphant protests. Every delegate was on his feet. Sam Crossland, of Graves county, leaped upon the platform and a general rush seemed imminent. The police who had been engaged in holding back the crowd from the Secretaries' tables assisted Mr. Crossland back to the floor. An outbreak was probably not intended, but the episode served to remind the convention that its disorder was getting beyond bounds, and in a few minutes the hall was quieter than it had been during the day.

Jake Corbett wanted to know how the Seventh Louisville district was recorded, but the question was not answered.

At last, after over two hours of wrangling on one ballot, the result was read out:

Corbett ..... 445½ Swango ..... 472½

The usual motion to make it unanimous was conspicuously absent. The "Purchase" men were mad. They swore vengeance, especially on Mr. Brown's county, Henderson, and on the other Western Kentucky counties which went to Swango. They complained that they were traded away in the Governor's race. Their temper was not improved by the fact that they at one time had victory in their grasp, but could not hold it or keep the counties from changing to Swango. Before the last recapitulation of the vote, to which his friends had agreed, Corbett had a majority of 24 votes over Swango. —Courier-Journal.

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